# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



## FISCAL NOTE

#### **SB 2070**

February 1, 2022

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Increases the penalties for mitigated criminal littering from a Class C misdemeanor and a \$50 fine, to a Class B misdemeanor and a \$500 fine.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **NOT SIGNIFICANT**

## Assumptions:

- Based on information provided by the Administrative Office of the Courts, there have been no convictions of mitigated criminal littering in the past three fiscal years.
- Due to the infrequent nature of convictions for this offense, the proposed legislation is not expected to result in a significant increase in incarcerations or generate significant revenue from increased fines.
- Any fiscal impact to state or local government is estimated to be not significant.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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